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MOKENA BUSINESS MEN PLAN NEW HALL COMPANY WHICH IS TO BE INCORPORATED FOR \$10,000

If present plans are successful as present indications seem to indicate, Mokena stands a good chance of seeing a fine new hall erected by next fall. A number of the business men of the village have started to circulate a petition for the purpose of raising \$10,000 which amount the new hall company is to be incorporated for. Shares in this new company are selling at \$100 per share and so far quite a few signers have been secured. It is proposed to sell 100 shares at \$100 each. A fine modern hall is planned equipped with all modern improvements. A billiard room is planned as one of the big features. The building is to be of brick. More details will be given later. It is proposed to make this hall a community center. The promoters of the new hall company will incorporate soon as the full number of shares are sold. The plan is to incorporate for \$10,000. The new project is going to fill a long felt want as there is no place for a meeting or gathering of any kind at present.

VILLAGE BOARD MEETS

The Village Board met in monthly session Wednesday night. The annual tax levy ordinance was passed. The amount of the levy was \$3455. Complaints were heard against the string of large bill board signs which have been erected on the Oswald lots in the heart of the village but as these bill boards have been erected on private lots nothing can be done about the matter although there is much protesting being done against the unsightly boards spoiling the looks of the street.

The old Stellwagen shacks also came in for discussion, but in this case too the village has no power to act in the matter as this is also private property, but the complaint that there is an uncovered well in the yard of the Stellwagen place caused the board to send a notice to the owners demanding that the same be closed at once as there is danger of someone falling in the well and being drowned.

For sometime an effort has been made to have the Rock Island reopening the crossing west of the depot which was done away with by the rail road when the milk plant was moved further west. Geo. J. Hacker, president of the board had taken the matter up a number of times with the superintendent and not getting satisfaction, the matter was turned over to attorney H. Rehn of Joliet and a letter from the superintendent was read in which that official stated that the crossing in question was too dangerous and was to remain eliminated and that the Public Utilities Commission was also seeking the elimination of such crossings. It now appears that the crossing in question will stay closed permanently.

The village board is also fighting to have a flagman placed at the crossing in the east end of the village known as the school house crossing, and the Rock Island has had J. R. Butler taking count of the amount of traffic going over this crossing every day during the past two weeks. It is not known just what action the rail road company will take in the matter. The village authorities contend that a flagman must be placed at this crossing as many school children will cross it every day during the coming school term.

WITH THE MOKENA PEOPLE

The Ladies Aid Society of the Mokena M. E. Church was quite well represented at the New Lenox Camp Meeting Wednesday when a goodly number of the ladies went and spent the day at the grove. A good sized company of people from Mokena are planning to attend the services in a body Sunday which marks the close of this year's encampment.

NEW VILLAGE WELL BEGUN

John Matthews of Joliet has begun work on drilling the new village well. The first drilling was begun on Wednesday and about 12 feet were drilled the first day. This well will give Mokena an ample supply of water and by having a good water supply the insurance rates will be reduced it is said.

PICNIC IS SUCCESSFUL

The annual Sunday School picnic of the Sunday School of the St. John Evangelical church held at the village park last Saturday was a big success. The proceeds from the picnic cleared came to \$106.

SUPPER IS POSTPONED

The chicken pie supper which the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church had planned to hold in the village park in September has been postponed indefinitely.

Miss Charlotte Vetter of Joliet is visiting at the Henry Schiek home.

MOKENA BOYS WIN BLUE RIBBONS ON EXHIBITS AT FAIR

Carl and Edwin Hirsch exhibited their big type of Poland Chinas at the State Fair. Their Junior yearling boar Futurity won first prize and in addition they carried off some second and third prizes on the other exhibits. They greatly enjoyed the trip and the Fair. The State capital was visited and the winding stairs leading to the top of the dome furnished some thrilling sport. The city of Springfield spread out in fine panoramic view. Auto and Airplane races furnished excitement galore. The fine costly thoroughbred stock claimed much attention.

PASTOR ATTENDS CONFERENCE

The Rev. W. J. Kemnitz attended the general pastoral conference of the North Illinois District of the Missouri Synod at Crete, August 24, and 26. It was quite a task for the Lutheran congregation at Crete to provide meals and lodgings for the 200 pastors belonging to this convention.

A timely and inspiring sermon will be delivered in the English language next Sunday morning at 10 a. m., at the Lutheran Immanuel church. All are welcome. The Ladies Aid will meet the same date at 2:30 p. m.

ENTERTAINS IMPROVEMENT CLUB THURSDAY

Miss Minnie Scheer was hostess to the Mokena Home Improvement Club Thursday afternoon. An interesting program was conducted and was greatly enjoyed. A report was read showing that only \$50 more remain to be raised to finish paying for the community band stand in the village park.

BEG YOUR PARDON

Through an unintentional oversight in writing the dedication of the community band stand, an error in the name of the band was mentioned of the intervention by Mrs. Randall St. John. These readings were read and greatly enjoyed.

FREE BAND CONCERT WEEKLY

A free band concert is to be held at the village park every Friday evening as long as the weather permits. Harvey Wood of Joliet has been engaged to give an address on Friday night of this week. Everyone is invited.

MUST BEHAVE AT DANCES

The Mokena Men's Club has had a number of cases of dancers not behaving themselves on the dance and the management has decided to refuse to allow the guilty parties on the dance floor if they repeat their misconduct again.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Houchin of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Durringer of Roseland motored out Sunday and celebrated the birthday of their aunt, Mrs. John Semmler.

MEN'S CLUB READY FOR BIG LABOR DAY DOINGS

The Mokena Men's Club is making preparations for a big and interesting Labor Day program. The Club will have a dance after noon and evening and other interesting features.

NOTICE

On account of the Jewish holidays my store will remain closed all day on September 13 and 14, half a day on September 21 and all day on September 22nd.

David Kolber, Mokena, Ill.

PLAN PARCEL POST SALE

The Catholic Woman's Society of the local St. Mary's Catholic church is planning a parcel post sale which is to be held in October, date to be announced later.

Mrs. Aspergren and daughter of New Mexico are visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

Miss Ruth Niehammer has been spending a few days in Chicago with her friend, Mrs. Matthew Catton.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin of Chicago have been recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Schultz.

J. R. Bentley of New Lenox who is seeking renomination to the office of representative has been calling on his friends here the past week.

Misses Olive Geuther, Alma Bechstein and Eunice Hacker have been visiting in Chicago the past week at the home of Mrs. Matthew Catton.

Miss Elfrida Kreis and Miss Winita Oswald have been enjoying a vacation trip to Donahoon, Iowa and on the return trip they spent a few days in Freeport visiting with friends.

While Mrs. Emma Bechstein and daughters Edna and Alma were recently spending their vacation in the Dells of Wisconsin they met the Misses Edna and Esther Bosold, the latter who is a Camp Fire Guardian was camping there with her camp fire girls.

MORNING STAR MISSION DOING A NOBLE WORK

Peter McCarthy the superintendent of the Morning Star Mission of Joliet who is widely known throughout the county, figures in an interesting way in the September issue of "Record of Christian Work" which is published in East Northfield, Mass. In the article entitled "A Contrast" Mr. Raeder, pastor of the Dutch Reformed church draws a vivid contrast between Mr. Elwell, the murdered sportsman of New York who at one time was a great church man and Dr. Raeder says "I should have pointed to Elwell as a model, but today he has a record to make the most sophisticated New Yorker close his eyes and shake his head." Elwell it will be remembered was an expert on whisky and a great sport. After he got in with the gamblers he left the church and went downward swiftly. On the other hand Dr. Raeder shows how Peter McCarthy who at one time was on the verge of dissolution but who found Christ and then opened his new well known Mission which has been a lighthouse to many a poor soul who has seen the light there and has again found the straight and narrow path. During the year there have been 447 conversions at the Morning Star Mission and in addition the following other interesting facts have taken place: 672 copies of the Gospel have been distributed, 1680 free leaves of bread have been given to hungry persons, railroad fare on 28 wayward boys and girls has been paid so they were able to get home again. Clothing was given to 293 individuals and 1122 free meals were served to the needy. As Dr. Raeder says, "The very success of the work eliminates the field of work for when men find God they become good citizens and self supporting." The Lord has blessed McCarthy and his Mission abundantly. No one can fully realize the big amount of good this man and Mission are doing.

ORLAND HAPPENINGS

On Aug. 19th a baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper.

A number of people are taking their vacation at this time. Miss Clara Myrick is in South Dakota with her brothers Will and Spencer. Mrs. Clara Moore and Earl have gone to Indiana.

There will be no Sunday School or church services at the M. E. church on Sunday, August 29th on account of the Camp Meeting at New Lenox.

Rev. Thomas Arams and A. E. Chastain were visiting Rev. Br. Sunday and had considerable part in the morning service. They are from Indiana and at present are attending the Pastor's Rural Conference at Evanston.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cox of Orland celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday. A large number of friends and relatives were their guests.

Mrs. Briggs who has been living in Orland for sometime, is moving out to the farm to stay with her daughter, Mrs. Ella Myrick. She has several things for sale, among them a cupboard, a cook stove and a hard coal burner all in good shape.

MARLEY NEWS NOTES

The Marley Brotherhood will give a very high class home talent entertainment next Thursday night, Sept. 2nd at the church. They will be assisted with talent from nearby towns.

Mrs. Frank Storm will entertain the Household Science Club on Sept. 14 at her home. Each lady is asked to bring an article either in bakery, canning or sewing and compare the same with the boughten article to see which is the best and most available. The October meeting will be a citizenship meeting. "A Woman's Duty as a Citizen" will be discussed. The place of meeting will be announced later.

Mrs. John Ott and Mr. Alfred Schultz and son of Morgan Park visited Wednesday with Herman Bruhn and at the Lahman home.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Spangler and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Spangler of Joliet visited at the home of Fred Lauffer home, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lauffer visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross in Homer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reynolds of Chicago have been spending a few days at the J. R. Bowen home.

A son was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wock of Lockport. Mrs. Wock was Clara Hommering.

Carl Hansen spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hansen in Chicago Heights.

MRS. COLLIER OF FRANKFORT PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Thomas Collier who has been ill for sometime, passed away last Saturday morning. She is survived by her husband, one daughter Ruby and one son, also one grandson. The funeral services were held Monday morning from the late home. Burial was in the Oakwood cemetery, Joliet. Before coming to Frankfort she resided at Mokena for a few years.

INJURED IN VARNISH EXPLOSION

Mrs. John Hossbach was recently quite badly burned when a can of varnish which she had set on an oil stove to heat before using exploded and the burning fluid was thrown on her feet, both being badly burned. See has been under the care of Dr. W. V. Hedges and at present reports is improving nicely.

ATTENDS STATE FAIR

Commissioner C. H. Waring has been attending the State Fair at Springfield the past week.

A number of Frankfort people have been attending the Camp Meeting at New Lenox the past week. Quite a number are planning to attend the closing services Sunday.

VACATION DAYS ARE OVER

School vacation days for the boys and girls of Frankfort are over as school opens next Monday for the ensuing term. Mrs. Herschberger is the new principal.

LADIES AID TO MEET

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet in monthly session next Thursday. This is the regular monthly session.

MOVE TO OMAHA

Chas. Beadle and family have moved to Omaha, Nebraska the past week. Mr. Beadle taking up a new position there. While here Mr. Beadle was section foreman on the M. C. railroad.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bethel an 8 1/2 pound daughter last week. Chas. Balchowsky and Fred Pfaff returned last Saturday from a motor trip to New York. On the return trip they came thru Canada.

The town board of auditors of Frankfort township will meet the first Tuesday in September at Mokena with the town clerk. The annual tax levy will be made at this time.

While Carson Vogt was driving in a load of grain on his farm during threshing he was thrown off the load onto a concrete driveway and dislocated his shoulder in the fall. Dr. W. V. Hedges was summoned and set the broken member and Mr. Vogt is convalescing nicely.

NEW LENOX PASTOR GETS CHAIR IN S. D. UNIVERSITY

The Rev. Mr. Paustain, pastor of the local Methodist church has accepted a chair in the Wesleyan University at Mitchell, South Dakota. He will be in charge of Rural Progress activities in his new field. The Rev. Mr. Paustain will preach his farewell sermon Sunday morning. The Rev. Mr. Paustain was very much interested in community work while located at New Lenox. He is a brilliant scholar and his friends all wish him much success in his new sphere of activity.

NEW LENOX MEN WIN MANY BLUE RIBBONS AT STATE FAIR

New Lenox has been well represented at the State Fair at Springfield the past week. Howard Francis has been exhibiting his fine lot of Poland Chinas and captured ten prizes. Fred Francis has been exhibiting his sheep and also carried off many first honors. Quite a number of farmers from this section attended the fair which is said to have been one of the best ever held.

FATE PLAYS TRICK

Fate played a rather unkind trick last Sunday. On that date the annual Camp Meeting opened its session and at the same time a carload of liquor valued at \$10,000 was switched out by the Rock Island on their side track across from the Camp grounds and was guarded by two detectives it is said. The car contained whisky, wines, etc. Later in the day the car was picked up by a fast Rock Island train and taken west.

CAMP MEETING CLOSES SUNDAY

Sunday marks the close of the 52nd annual New Lenox Camp Meeting. A very good program has been reserved for the closing day. The show given each evening have been fine and much enjoyed. The attendance last Sunday which was the opening day is estimated to have been 500. Last Tuesday Major Dalrymple of the federal prohibition enforcement office gave a fine talk on his work.

FOUR PERSONS INJURED WHEN R. I. TRAIN STRIKES AUTO AT MIDLOTHIAN CROSSING SATURDAY NIGHT

The Rock Island railroad crossing at Midlothian east of here was the scene of an auto accident Saturday night about 9 o'clock when a Rock Island suburban train which backs down from Blue Island struck an auto in which four young people from Blue Island were riding. The accident was witnessed by a number of passengers waiting on the station platform. These people saw the train switching over onto another track and shouted a warning to the motorists who evidently failed to hear the warning cry for they kept on running until the auto reached the center of the crossing when the rear coach of the moving train struck the auto and dragged it 50 feet before the train could be stopped. The occupants of the car consisted of two young men and two young women. All of them were injured, one of the men and one of the girls being injured quite badly. All of the injured were placed on board the train and taken to Blue Island where the ambulance took the injured to the St. Francis hospital. At first reports it was said that the seriously wounded ones might die, but later reports are that they will all recover. The auto was wrecked.

TINLEY PARK PASTOR PREACHES FAREWELL SERMON

The Rev. Mr. Ladwig, pastor of the German Methodist church here, preached his farewell sermon Sunday morning. The Rev. Mr. Ladwig has been in poor health for some time and fearing that the rigors of the cold winter weather might be too hard on his health, he decided to give up the local pastorate. The church being located out of the village makes it necessary for the pastor to drive out.

Rev. Mr. Ladwig served his congregation for nine years and a very amiable relation has existed between the pastor and the people during all this time and the congregation deeply regrets to see their pastor leave them. During his pastorate here, the Rev. Mr. Ladwig was instrumental in building up the church membership largely increased. The church has been showing a good healthy growth. The Rev. Mr. Ladwig is very modest about his work, which however, speaks for itself. He has been thirty-eight active years of service in the ministry and hopes to be able to continue this service after a rest from his past strenuous activities. The many friends of Rev. and Mrs. Ladwig wish them much success and happiness where ever their work may take them. Nothing definite has been decided on as to just what course will be pursued. The annual church conference which is to be in session soon will name the next pastor who is to succeed Rev. Mr. Ladwig.

TINLEY LOSES IN 8 TO 4 GAME

The much heralded base ball game between Tinley Park and Orland came off on schedule time Sunday at the Fulton diamond, but the visitors went home with victory on their side and a well filled purse. Fate appeared to be against the Tinley Park players from the opening inning. The Orland team had a pitcher from the Gunther's of Chicago. He was a live wire and made things hum. Batting was heavy and the Orland team made heavy inroads in spite of the best playing that Tinley could do. When the hotly contested game wound up in the ninth inning the score stood 8 to 4 in favor of Orland. Wyman did some very good pitching for Tinley Park making 15 strike outs in six innings. F. Unger of the Tinley Park team made a home run. There was a big delegation of fans present from the neighboring towns. The gate receipts came to \$80. The Tinley Park players are not fully satisfied with the result of the game and want to play the Orland team on the latter's diamond.

PICNIC HAS SMALL CROWD

The Cook County Rural Letter Carriers Association picnic which was held at the Linden Garden, bumped into a mass of bad luck when the weather man sent a blast of cold air which kept many of the guests away. A heavy shower near Chicago also kept many other away who had planned to come with their autos. The promoters of the picnic were greatly disappointed, but made the best of the unfavorable conditions.

HEN IS A NATURE FAKER

Tinley Park has one of the late Teddy Roosevelt's famous "nature fakers" in the way of a hen which is mothering two young rabbits instead of little chicks. When one sets a hen expects to have it hatch chicks but when rabbits are produced instead it looks as though the hen was faking on nature. Mr. Schoenheiter is the owner of the "freak mother" hen.

Mrs. Henry Hopman spent a few days in Frankfort at the home of her brother, Conrad Bettenhausen.

ATTENDS FUNERAL OF RELATIVE

Mrs. J. T. Newman was called to Milwaukee the latter part of the week by the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Simmons. The funeral was held Monday. Mrs. Simmons died last Friday.

TO PLAY OUTSIDE TEAMS

The Tinley Park Bull Frogs will Chicago Heights on Sunday, September 5th at the local ball field. On Labor Day they will play the Oak Forest team at Oak Forest. Some excellent games are anticipated.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

The Rock-Away Club of Harvey will direct a dance at the Linden Garden next Saturday night.

Rev. A. Buddenhagen has been attending the Lutheran Conference in Blue Island the past week.

A company of young folks from Chicago held a private picnic in the Newman woods, last Sunday.

Mrs. Christian Andres of Chicago has been spending a few days with the Wilke family and other Tinley Park relatives.

J. C. Andees, cashier of the Bremen State Bank has returned from a vacation trip to Detroit where he visited with relatives.

Air planes are getting to be a very common sight in this vicinity of late. The past week three of the planes flew over Tinley Park.

News has been received that J. T. Newman is "grandpa" now, a little 7 1/2 pound son arriving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Newman in Wichita, Kansas on August 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Rice and daughter Helen of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kay and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Uthe of Orland were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rice.

The Misses Elsie and Gertrude Kruse, Bertha Brown, Ray Brown of Englewood and Jack Ray of the 59th Coast Artillery of Camp Lewis, Washington were entertained at the home of Mrs. Martha Schaefer and Miss Viola Wilke over Sunday.

This has been moving week in Tinley Park. John Rick has moved into the place he purchased of Wm. Koehler and Mr. Jacobs, the local Standard Oil Co., manager vacated this place and moved into the John Bettenhausen place which has been vacated by the Ahrens family who have moved into the dwelling vacated by the Rick family.

Threshing has gotten well under way in this section and the yield is very good. Oats have been running from 30 to 50 bushels per acre. The wheat crop is also in very fine condition. The yield in many cases runs close to 30 bushels per acre. Considerable wheat has been raised in this section.

NEW LENOX

TO ENTERTAIN CLUB

The New Lenox Home Improvement Club will meet with Miss Harriet Francis, August 31st. Mrs. Deal and Mrs. Allen will assist. Mrs. Abel Bliss of Lexington, Miss., is visiting with her niece, Miss Harriet Francis.

ATTENDS STATE SCHOOL

Harold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Francis is attending the State Fair school at Springfield, being one of 4 boys from Will County entitled to this privilege. Miss Mabel Oram is attending the Household Science School at the State Fair this week.

Misses Alice and Helen Francis returned Tuesday from their fine trip into the northwest and are very much enthused over the delightful journey.

IMPROVED FARMS For Sale In Will and Cook Counties

190 acres, Frankfort Township, per acre	\$260
160 " " " "	160
93 " " " "	325
80 " " " "	300
247 " " " "	255
268 " " " "	250
140 " Orland " "	300
60 " " " "	300
40 " " " "	240
234 " " " "	240
120 " Homer " "	250
112 " New Lenox " "	210

If interested, send for complete description.

GEO. J. HACKER
MOKENA, ILLINOIS

LADY LARKSPUR

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CHAPTER V—Continued.

"His name is Dick Searles," I said, "and he's my most intimate friend." She professed indignation when I told of my eavesdropping in the woods, but when I explained that I knew all about the play and Searles' despairing search for her she was enormously pleased.

"How wonderful!" she exclaimed. "You know I told you, Constance, that if we really threw ourselves in the path of adventure mystery would come out to meet us in silken sandals."

"But you will not appear in this play?" asked Raynor anxiously. "It is the business of the government of the United States to see that you commit no further indiscretions. There is another matter which I hope you can clear up. You are not only a subject of concern to the British embassy, but the French ambassador also has appealed to us to assist him in a trifling matter."

"The French ambassador?" Alice exclaimed with a surprise I knew to be unfeigned. "I thought the dear Montani was an Italian?"

"We will continue to call him Montani, but he's a Frenchman and one of the keenest men in the French secret service. You have caused him the deepest anguish."

"Please hurry on!" She bent forward with childish delight. "This is a part of the story we've been living that I really know nothing about. I hope it won't be disappointing!"

Raynor laughed and shook his head. "It's fortunate that Montani is a gentleman, anxious to shield and protect you. You have a fan in your hand—"

She spread it out for inspection. "A harmless trinket, but without it the adventure would have been very tame."

"The story of the fan is in the most secret archives of Paris and Washington. When you were packing up in Tokyo to come home on the very last day before your departure a lady called on you whom you knew as Madame Volkoff."

"The dear woman!" exclaimed Mrs. Farnsworth. "We knew her very well."

"Almost too well," cried Raynor. "A cultivated woman and exceedingly clever, but a German spy. She had collected some most interesting data with reference to Japanese armament and defenses, but suspecting that she was being watched, she hit upon a most ingenious way of getting the information across the Pacific, expecting to communicate with German agents in America who could pick it up and pass it on to Berlin. You see, she thought you an easy mark. She got hold of a fan which Montani informs me is the exact counterpart of that one you hold. She reduced her data to the smallest possible compass, concealed it in her fan, and watched for a chance to exchange with you. The astute Montani found the Japanese artisan who had done the tinkering for her and surmised that you were to be made the unconscious bearer of the incriminating papers. Montani jumped for the steamer you were sailing on with every determination to get the fan. His professional pride was aroused, and it was only after he found it impossible to steal the fan that he asked our assistance. He's a good fellow, a gentleman in every sense, and with true French chivalry wanted to do the job without disturbing you in any way."

We pressed closer about Raynor as he took the fan, spread it open, and held it close against a table-lamp. "The third, sixth and ninth," he counted. "You will notice that those three pieces of ivory are a trifle thicker and not as transparent as the others. Glancing at them casually in an ordinary light, you would never suspect that they had been hollowed out, an exceedingly delicate piece of work. It's a pity to spoil anything so pretty, but—"

He snapped the top of one of the panels, disclosing a neatly folded piece of thin paper.

"Antoine," I said, "tie the arms of the prisoner in the toolhouse and bring him here."

"A man in the toolhouse?" Montani, Torrence and Raynor ejaculated in concert.

"Oh, yes," murmured Alice, "that's the pleasantest chapter of all. Our grenadiers captured a whole invading army that made a night attack—one of the most remarkable engagements of the present war, Mr. Torrence."

"The battle of the Bell-Hops," I suggested. "The prisoner will be here in a moment."

While we waited Montani produced a photograph, instantly recognizable as a likeness of our prisoner.

"My reputation is saved!" he exclaimed excitedly. "That he should have been caught here! It is too much! I shall never forgive myself for not warning you of the danger."

But you understand, mesdames, that I was sincerely anxious to recover the fan without letting you know its importance. When I found at Seattle and Chicago that you were traveling under assumed names, I was—pray, pardon me—deeply puzzled, the more so because I had satisfied myself in Tokio that you were loyal Englishwomen, and I believed you to be innocent of complicity with Madame Volkoff. Why you should have changed your names, I didn't know, but it's not my affair now."

"We saw you on the steamer and again in the hotel at Chicago. It was very amusing to be followed. We gave you the slip, stopped at Buffalo to see Niagara, and you came on here and scared the servants to death! But you were generous at every point," said Alice. "We changed our names so we could amuse ourselves here—at Bob's expense. So now I ask everybody's forgiveness!"

The prisoner, arriving at this moment, became the center of interest. Without a word Montani walked up to him, brushed back his hair, and called our attention to a scar on the crown of his head.

"There can be no mistake. This is Adolph Schwenger, who passes as readily for a Frenchman as I do for an Italian. The capture is of great importance. I shall want the names of all the persons who assisted in the matter."

"It isn't quite clear to me," remarked Raynor, turning to me, "why you held that fellow and said nothing about it. If there had been a mistake, it would have been just a little embarrassing for you, Singleton."

"Chivalry!" Mrs. Farnsworth answered for me. "An anxious concern for the peace and dignity of two foolish women! I didn't know there was so much chivalry left in the world."

An hour was spent in explanations, and Raynor declared that I must write a full account of the Allied army in Connecticut and the capture of the spy. The state archives contained nothing that touched this episode for piquancy, he declared; and even the bewildered Torrence finally saw the joke of the thing and became quite human.

Raynor and Montani decided after a conference that the German agent should be taken to New York immediately, and I called Flynn to drive them down.

"It's most fortunate, sir, that you sent for him when you did!" announced Antoine, nearly bursting with importance. "The boys had heard queer sounds in the night, but could find nothing wrong. The prisoner had taken up the flooring at the back of the tool-house, and was scooping up the dirt. He'd got a place pretty near big enough to let him through. I suppose we ought to have noticed it, sir."

It was just as Raynor and Montani were leaving the house with the prisoner that we heard a commotion in the direction of the gates. I had sent the word that no one was to be admitted to the grounds, but as I ran out the front door a machine was speeding madly toward the house. A dozen of the guards were yelling their protests at the invasion, and a spurt of fire preluded the booming of Zimmerman's shotgun.

"Get your man into the car and beat it!" I shouted to Raynor, thinking an attempt was about to be made to rescue the prisoner.

The touring car left just as a Barton taxi flashed into the driveway. The driver was swearing loudly at one of the Tynningham veterans who had wedged himself into the door of the machine.

"Mother's Expressive Eyes. Ella started to lift the baby from its crib, but caught her mother's eye, and desisted. Afterward, she was overheard telling her playmate that she knew when her mother didn't want her to do anything. "She doesn't have to tell me," Ella added, "she just thinks stop, and I can see her think."

Searles jumped out (I had forgotten that he might arrive that night), but before I could greet him he swang round and assisted a lady to alight—a short, stout lady in a traveling cap, wrapped in a coat that fell to her heels. She began immediately to deliver orders in an authoritative tone as to the rescue of her belongings. Searles dived into the taxi and began dragging out a vast amount of small luggage, but my attention was diverted for a moment by Alice, who jumped down the steps and clasped her arms about the neck of the stout lady.

"Aunt Alice!" I heard her saying. "Why didn't you tell us to meet you?" "Why didn't I tell you?" demanded the stout lady. "The moment you left me I knew I'd made a mistake in letting you come over here on one of your absurd larks! And from the row I had getting into the premises I judge that you're at your old tricks. Fired upon! Treated as though I were an outlaw! You shall never go out of my sight again!"

"Oh, please don't scold me!" Alice pleaded and turning to me: "This is Bob Singleton, your nephew."

Mrs. Bashford—and I made no question that Searles' companion was undoubtedly my uncle's widow—gave me her hand and smiled in a way that showed that she was not so greatly displeased with Alice as her words implied.

"Pay that driver for me and don't fail to tip him. Those Methuselahs at the gate all but killed him. It was only the vigorous determination of this gentleman, who very generously permitted me to share the only motor at the station, that I got through the gates alive! I beg your pardon, but what is your name?"

"Mrs. Bashford," I interposed, "my friend, Mr. Searles."

"Mr. Searles!" cried Alice, dropping a cage containing some weird Oriental bird which had been among my aunt's impromptu. The bird squawked hideously.

"Miss Violet Dewing, permit me to present the author of 'Lady Larkspur'!"

It was a week later that Alice and I sat on the stone wall watching the waves, at the point forever memorable as the scene of our first talk.

"Aunt Alice isn't playing fair," she said. "She pretends now that it was all my idea—coming over to play at being our uncle's widow, but she really encouraged me to do it so I could give her an impartial judgment of your character. I'm her only niece and her namesake, and she relies on me a good deal. You know she's very, very rich, and she had never any idea of keeping your uncle's money. She meant all the while to give it to me—provided she found you were nice. And she thinks you are very nice."

"Your own opinion of me would be interesting," I suggested.

She had gathered a handful of pebbles and was flinging them nimbly at a bit of driftwood. "I wished her lips hadn't that little quiver that preluded laughter and that her eyes were not the haven of all the dreams in the world."

She landed a pebble on the target before replying.

"You are very nice, I think," she said with disconcerting detachment. "At first I was afraid you didn't like nonsense, but you really got through very well, considering the trouble I caused you. But I'm in trouble myself now. Papa will land tomorrow. He's the grandest, dearest man in all this world, but when he finds that I'm going to act in Mr. Searles' play he will be terribly cut up. Of course it will not be for long. Even if it's a big success, I'm to be released in three months. Constance and Sir Cecil think I owe it to myself to appear in the piece; they're good enough to say nobody else can do it so well—which is a question. I'm going to give all the money I earn to the blind soldiers."

(I wished the tears in her eyes didn't make them more lovely still!)

"Being what you are and all you are, it would be brutal for me to add to the number of things you have to tell your father. I'm a very obscure person, and he is a gentleman of title and otherwise distinguished. You are the Honorable Miss—"

"Papa has said numbers of times," she began softly, looking far away across the blue Sound—"he has said, oh, very often, that he'll never stop troubling about me until—until I'm happily married."

"When you came here you wore a wedding ring," I remarked casually.

"It was only a 'property' ring, to help deceive you. I bought it in Chicago. When Aunt Alice came I threw it away."

"The finger seems lonesome without it," I said. "If I get you another, I hope you'll take better care of it."

"If you should put it there," she replied, looking fixedly at the hand, "that would be very, very different."

(THE END.)

Siamese Superstition.

At the birth of a child in Siam, a cord that has been blessed by the priests is tied around the outside of the house, and three balls of rice are thrown in "lucky directions" by three old women, who are always present at such a time and whose business it is to solicit for the little one the patronage and protection of sundry guardian angels.

Mother's Expressive Eyes.

Ella started to lift the baby from its crib, but caught her mother's eye, and desisted. Afterward, she was overheard telling her playmate that she knew when her mother didn't want her to do anything. "She doesn't have to tell me," Ella added, "she just thinks stop, and I can see her think."

Spanish Bean Soup.—Press two cups of canned beans or leftover baked beans through a sieve. Add two cups of strained tomato or boiling water and catsup, season well and serve hot.

The KITCHEN CABINET

"Eggs are not things that are given added life and power by being brooded over. If we want to enlarge and multiply everything unpleasant or that which has offended us, brooding over it will do it."

THE POPULAR BANANA.

For those who have nervous indigestion and a too acid stomach, the banana is the popular breakfast fruit because of its lack of acid in its composition. To combine with cooked or uncooked breakfast foods it is held in high esteem. Bananas for serving uncooked, should be well ripened to be wholesome, especially for children.

Moulded Cereal with Bananas.—Turn any leftover cereal into cups rinsed with cold water, half filling the cups. When cold, scoop out the centers and fill the open spaces with sliced bananas; turn into a buttered pan, fruit side down and set into a hot oven to become very hot. Remove with a cake turner to the cereal dishes and serve with sugar and cream.

Porto Rican Baked Bananas.—Select underripe bananas; put them without removing the skins into a very hot oven to bake until the skins burst. Send to the table in a folded napkin and do not remove the skins until the moment of eating. Serve with plenty of butter.

Banana Croquettes.—Remove the skin and coarse threads from five bananas, cut the banana in halves, trimming the ends; brush with beaten egg which has been mixed with a tablespoonful of water, then roll in crumbs and fry in deep fat. Serve with lamb chops or with roast lamb. Currant jelly sauce may be served with them prepared as follows:

Melt half a glass of jelly in a scant cup of boiling water, add half a cupful of sugar, and a teaspoonful of corn starch mixed with a little cold water, let cook five minutes, then add a tablespoonful of butter and a teaspoonful of lemon juice.

Bananas With Cherries.—Stew a pint of cherries with five or six of the meats from the stones, add water to the juice to make a cupful; sweeten to taste, add a tablespoonful of lemon juice and set aside to cool. Pour over sliced bananas and serve. Other fruits like strawberries, currants and pineapple may be used. Serve with sponge cake as a dessert.

Have you the wealth of a sound mind, a strong body, and a pure soul? What great possessions are yours! May the gold within you be a blessing to all the world—you cannot be too lavish with it; keep giving it away; put it out at intervals and it will double its value in a short time.

DESSERTS, SUITABLE FOR THE SEASON.

Fruit juices thickened with gelatin are favorite desserts for warm weather as they are both appetizing and sufficiently satisfying after a hearty meal has been eaten.

Snow Pudding.—Soak one and one-fourth tablespoonfuls of gelatin in one-fourth cupful of cold water fifteen minutes, then dissolve in one cupful of boiling water, add one cupful of sugar and one-fourth cupful of lemon juice. Stir until the sugar is dissolved, then strain into a large bowl, and set in ice water to cool, stirring occasionally. Beat the whites of three eggs until stiff and when the gelatin begins to thicken add the beaten whites and beat together until very light. When stiff enough to mold pour into a mold which has been rinsed with cold water. Make a boiled custard, using the yolks of the eggs well beaten, three tablespoonfuls of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of salt, a pint of hot milk; cook until smooth and flavor when cool with vanilla. Unmold the pudding, pour the sauce around it and serve.

Gateau de Princess.—Bake a sponge cake in two jelly cake tins. Cut the center from one cake, leaving a rim one and one-half inches wide. Cover the cake with jelly, jam, fresh berries sweetened or with sliced fruit. Place the rim over the cake and frost the rim if desired or decorate with whipped cream.

Orange Ice.—Make a sirup, using four cupfuls of water to two of sugar, boiling twenty minutes, add two cupfuls of orange juice, one-fourth cupful of lemon juice and the grated rind of two oranges; cool, strain and freeze.

When using only a small amount in the freezer the ice need not fill the freezer, only come well above the mixture in the can.

Emergency Salad.—Take two parts of cabbage and one part tart apple, run through a meat chopper, season with salt, pepper, minced green onion, celery or green pepper.

Spanish Bean Soup.—Press two cups of canned beans or leftover baked beans through a sieve. Add two cups of strained tomato or boiling water and catsup, season well and serve hot.

Be firm! whatever tempts thy soul To loiter ere it reach its goal, Whatever siren voice would draw Thy heart from duty and its law, Oh! that distrust. Go bravely on, And, till the victor-crown be won, Be firm.

—Sarah Mayo.

THE DELECTABLE CHICKEN.

Chicken is a favorite meat with people the world over and no matter how served, if well cooked, it is always popular.

Maryland Chicken.—Dress and cut up a chicken, sprinkle with salt and pepper, dip in flour, egg and crumbs, place in a well-greased dripping pan and bake in a hot oven, basting with one-third of a cupful of butter. Arrange on a platter and pour over two cupfuls of cream sauce.

Chicken Curry.—Singe and cut the chicken at the joints in pieces for serving. Cover with boiling water, add two teaspoonfuls of salt and a half teaspoonful of pepper. Simmer for half an hour or longer if not tender, drain, dredge with seasoned flour and brown lightly with a tablespoonful of butter. Fry one large onion in the same fat, mix one tablespoonful of flour, one teaspoonful of sugar and one tablespoonful of curry powder and brown. Add one cupful of water or stock, one cupful of tomato or one sour apple chopped with salt and pepper to taste. Pour this sauce over the chicken and simmer until tender. Add one cupful of hot cream and serve with boiled rice.

Jellied Chicken.—Bring to the boiling point two cupfuls of chicken stock from which the fat has been removed, add to it one tablespoonful of gelatin which has been soaked in four tablespoonfuls of cold water. Press into a mold four cupfuls of seasoned cooked chicken, pour over the stock, put under a weight and chill until firm. Any other meat may be served in the same way.

Chicken Pie.—Dress and cut up one chicken as for frying; cook until tender. Season when nearly cooked. Lay the pieces in a baking dish, add one pint of stock thicker than two tablespoonfuls of flour, and pour over the chicken. Add salt, and pour over the chicken. Add cream or rich milk and bake until the biscuits are brown. Serve from the baking dish.

If not to fly, why has the robin wings, While the green desert dares him to be free; Why does he yearn to reach remotest things, The mountain's rim—if it were not to be?

SEASONABLE DISHES.

We really do not know how to cook vegetables unless we can make them both edible and attractive.

Not only we can conserve every fraction of their food value and are so familiar with their composition that we can develop it by cookery. The really efficient cook wastes nothing—neither the vegetable itself, the water in which it is cooked, nor even the parings or tops. So says the expert dietitian, Ida Bailey Allen.

Scalloped Beans.—Butter a baking dish and add two cupfuls of white sauce or a tomato sauce to four cupfuls of cooked string beans, with one small chopped onion. Cover with buttered crumbs and bake 30 minutes in a moderate oven.

Braised New Cabbage.—Melt one-fourth cupful of sweet fat in a saucepan, add two green apples and two onions finely chopped; cook gently for three minutes, then turn in one good sized cabbage, shredded, three cloves, one-half cupful of vinegar, one tablespoonful of salt, one-fourth teaspoonful of pepper. Cover tightly and simmer for two and one-half hours.

Coconut Sponge.—Scant half an envelope of granulated gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of cold water. Make a custard of two cupfuls of milk, three eggs, one-third of a cupful of sugar; cook until smooth and thick, remove from the heat and add the gelatin. When the mixture begins to set add one cupful of shredded coconut, a few grains of salt and a teaspoonful of vanilla. Use just the yolks in the custard, beat the whites stiff and fold in at the last. Line a mold with sections of orange, pour in and chill.

Corn Custards.—Mix one cupful of grated corn with three slightly beaten eggs; add one and one-half cupfuls of milk, one-half teaspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of onion juice and a few dashes of paprika. Put into small molds and steam, covered with greased paper. After 20 minutes remove and serve with white or tomato sauce.

Neelie Maxwell.

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Salisbury Cathedral



Salisbury Cathedral, From the Nearby Lake.

APRIL 28, 1220, Richard Poore, bishop of Old Sarum, took off his shoes, and, attended by a procession of church and state dignitaries, all barefooted, and followed by a crowd of humbler people, walked from his cathedral church of Old Sarum to a pleasant meadow by the riverside, a little more than a mile distant. There and then he founded the cathedral of New Sarum, which, in but a few years, was to spring from the greenward in the simple beauty associated with its newer name of Salisbury cathedral; to endure as the finest existing example of early English architecture, says the London Telegraph.

After consecrating the site of the future cathedral, Bishop Poore laid the first foundation stone in the name of Pope Honorius; a second for Stephen Langton, Archbishop of Canterbury, and a third for himself. William Longespée, first earl of Salisbury, whose altar tomb on the south side of the nave is a masterpiece of statuary art, laid the fourth stone; while the fifth was placed by his countess, Ela. Other stone laying followed, "amidst the acclamation," and old chronicler tells us, "of multitudes of the people, weeping for joy, and contributing thereto their alms with a ready mind, according to the ability which God had given them." So quickly did the work progress that three altars were consecrated in the new building within five years of the foundation ceremonies.

Why the Site Was Chosen.

The founders of the new cathedral gave several reasons for abandoning the structure on the hill of Old Sarum. One reason mentioned in the bull obtained for the purpose from Pope Honorius, dated March 29, 1219, was that the hilly situation of Old Sarum placed the cathedral at the mercy of winds so stormy that not only was it often difficult to hear the words of the service, but the structure became in constant need of repair. Another trouble was the insufficiency of the water supply and a third was the most cogent of all, the military in the neighboring castle taking all possible pains to show that they, and not the ecclesiastics, were the lords of Old Sarum.

"What has the House of the Lord to do with castles?" asked Peter of Blois in support of the proposal to remove the See from Old Sarum. "It is the Ark of the Covenant in a temple of Balaam. Let us, in the name of God, descend into the meads. There are rich meadows and fertile valleys abounding in the fruits of the earth, profusely watered by living streams. There is a seat for the virgin patroness of our church to which the whole world cannot produce a parallel."

His conclusions as to the situation were in every sense correct, for among English cathedrals scarcely one—if any—can vie with the exquisite setting of Salisbury's aspiring loveliness of pinnacles and spire in the center of the greenward.

The Tower and Spire.

Without its spire the cathedral at Salisbury would still have been a marvel of architectural beauty; with its tower and spire it stands complete as the crowning triumph of English architecture throughout the ages. For over a century the building stood with a low, stunted central tower. Then, in 1330, came the daring conception of raising a tower and spire soaring to a height of more than 400 feet. The boldness of the idea, and the danger of it, inspired the builders with constant care. They knew that the riverside

earth on which they had to build was too marshy to bear the solidity usually connected with tower structures, and they planned and worked with extreme caution. Giving to the tower walls the lightest possible construction, banding the parts ingeniously, and even leaving within the building the wooden framework to serve as an additional support, the builders worked daringly on; but when they approached the spire construction they had not the temerity to give it a thickness of more than two feet at the base, and of nine inches from a little above the base to the topmost pinnacle.

Within and without they added flying buttresses. Even then the spire began to lapse from the perpendicular, and the worst was feared when a deviation of two feet occurred; but since the careful examination made by Sir Christopher Wren no further signs of insecurity have appeared.

What Salisbury Cathedral owes to the magic grace of its tower and spire it is easier to realize than to express. The whole building was transformed by the architectural daring which had enough poetic insight to picture what could be done by capping an already beautiful, but somewhat featureless structure, by an exquisitely proportioned tower, surmounted by a slender and soaring spire, the highest in England. Though constructed half a century later than the body of the cathedral, the tower and spire—so refined was the artistic perception of these early builders—were in harmony with the whole construction, in spite of their greater display of elaborate and decorative work.

With marvelous grace this triumph of early English art blends nave, choir, and transepts, tower and spire, in an architectural unity that has no counterpart within our isles. Here we have a church of one period and of one design, not, as in most cathedrals, an epitome in stone of English history from the Norman on through the early English and decorated periods to the perpendicular.

Some Human Records.

Seen with effect from the height of Salisbury tower is a pleasant pastoral country, watered by several streams, broken by some low stretches of downs and in places luxuriantly wooded; and here and there are places sacred in the story of our literature. Within the cathedral is a bust with tablet in memory of Richard Jefferies, born at Coate, in Wiltshire.

Less than two miles from Salisbury is Bemerton, a village containing the fine built parsonage where George Herbert wrote some of the poems in "The Temple." Within the altar rails of the little church is a modest tablet, with the simple inscription, "G. H. 1633," the only memorial in Wiltshire to "the sweetest singer that ever sang God's praise."

Within the cathedral, on the north side of the altar, lies the body of the sister whom Sir Philip Sidney loved to visit at Wilton, the ancestral estate of the Pembroke family, not more than a mile to the west of Bemerton. It was at Wilton that Sidney wrote parts of his "Arcadia" to please, as he put it, "his dear lady and sister, the countess of Pembroke."

Interesting, too, are the cloisters, not only for the beauty of their window tracery, but for the memories they enshrine, for among those who lie at rest in this sanctuary inclosed by the cloisters are people whose names have a place of honor in the modern records of the Wiltshire minster.

WATCH YOUR FEET

Important Matter Pertaining to General Health.

Experts Advise Walking "Indian Fashion" in Preference to the "Toeing Out," Which Has Hitherto Been Considered Proper.

(Short Talks on Health, by the United States Public Health Service, Washington, D. C.)

Well-directed feet are now considered to be quite as important to general health as a well-poised head or an erect carriage. Few people seem to realize that many troublesome ailments are caused by flat or weak feet, and attribute the nervous depression, pain in the legs and back and general fatigue to some other cause, when the feet are really at fault, says the United States public health service.

Actual "flat foot" is much less common than is ordinarily thought. On the other hand, "weak foot" is very common, and if not remedied gradually leads to flat foot.

Recent investigations have established the fact that "toeing out" in walking, or standing, puts an added strain on the arch of the feet. Instead of standing and walking with the feet forming an angle of about 45 degrees, as formerly advocated in military and athletic manuals, experts now advocate standing and walking with the toes pointed straight forward. This has been found to be of great assistance in remedying weak and flat feet, and constitutes what is known as walking "Indian fashion."

"Toeing straight" should be practiced for a little while, and it will come easy. Make two parallel lines on the floor, about six inches apart, and walk on them with the toe and heel touching the outside of the line. Follow this up with an exercise such as the following: Stand with the feet parallel, with about two inches between the feet, and rise on the toes anywhere from 20 to 40 times each night and morning. In standing acquire the habit of placing the feet a few inches apart, with the same distance between heels and toes. Keep the body weight equally supported on both feet.

Do not make the mistake of believing that flat feet can be cured by the shoemaker, or by the ordinary arch that is sold in shoe stores. The condition is one that should be treated by an experienced physician when it fails to respond to the measures outlined above.

It is comparatively easy to remedy a tendency to weak or flat feet in children by teaching them the proper walking and standing posture. Parents would do well to teach their children to walk Indian fashion.

Wives' Work.

Neither Mr. Hamlin nor Squire Heaton is noted as a worker, but their wives are very industrious, and nothing gives either gentleman more pleasure than to boast of the wonderful things that his wife accomplishes.

"I don't know what the Red Cross would have done without my wife," said Mr. Hamlin one day. "She knitted twenty-five sweaters, seventy-four pairs of socks and one hundred and fifteen wristlets."

"That's not a bad record," admitted the squire. "In fact, I call it a real good record for an average knitter. Now, I don't know how many articles my wife turned out for the Red Cross; she didn't count them. She started to count them, but when she had knitted several hundred articles of every kind she said counting tired her, and she quit. After that she estimated her output by needles."

"By needles? What do you mean by needles?" asked Mr. Hamlin, a little humbly.

"I mean the needles my wife wore out," explained the squire. "She wore out three sets of needles knitting for the Red Cross; and the fourth set was so near wore out when the war ended that they wasn't no thicker than horsehairs."—Youth's Companion.

Lived Days in Sealed Box.

Joseph Barcroft, a reader of physiology at King's college, England, has lived for six days in a hermetically sealed glass box. The experiment arose out of a 30-year-old controversy as to whether it is possible to calculate the amount of oxygen in the blood from a knowledge of the amount of oxygen in the breath. The test was also made to demonstrate whether it was necessary that airmen should have oxygen apparatus when flying at great heights. It proved that oxygen was necessary to flying men, but it did not show to what height they could fly with safety. While in the box Barcroft kept a record of his sensations and made scientific observations. He said he suffered from sleeplessness, but otherwise did not experience much inconvenience except on the last day, when the atmosphere became extremely rarefied. He then had headaches and nausea.

Suddenly Famous.

Mr. Hugh Thomas, O. D. E., the Englishman who recently bought the complete town of Milford Haven for a quarter of a million sterling, had probably never been heard of by the man in the street before. Another incident in which a "surprise millionaire" figured occurred some years back when China wanted a loan of \$50,000,000. A lender turned up in Mr. Birch Crisp of whom practically no one had ever heard, but who soon became famous when seven great powers, including Great Britain, took immediate steps to prevent him advancing the money.

ODD CONTESTS, OLD AND NEW

Belgium Cock-Crowing Matches and English Lark-Singing Contests—Turtles in Exciting Races.

From the dawn of time man has delighted in contests, whether between individuals who match their strength and skill, or between animals.

Some of these contests are decidedly quaint, or, for instance, the cock-crowing matches of Belgium, where specially bred and trained fowls are matched to see which will crow the greatest number of times within a certain time limit.

The lark-singing contests of England are far more musical, these contests being promoted and conducted by an association having a good membership. The birds are kept for some time in a dark room, and then placed before a mirror in the light. Imagining his own reflection to be a rival, the bird at once bursts into song, a careful record being made of the length of the song.

There used to be in Hamburg a famous collection of wild animals which included a number of giant tortoises, each weighing several hundred pounds. Children would mount upon the backs of these strange steeds, and, holding a lettuce leaf on the end of a stick just beyond the reach of the tortoise, coax them into an amusing race toward a fixed goal.

Much more exciting are the turtle races which may be witnessed in some of the South American countries. Turtle fishers select a number of the great sea turtles, and, attired in bathing costumes, mount their backs, grasping the forepart of the shells with both hands. The turtles are then released and at once make for the sea. Ordinarily the turtle would plunge with his rider to the bottom of the sea, but this the jockey would prevent by throwing his weight on the back part of the shell and at the same time pulling the forward part up with his hands, which keeps the animal's head above the surface. By pulling the shell to the right or left, the rider is able to guide his mount, and a circle is made about a boat anchored off shore, and so back to the starting point. These turtles cover a course of eight or nine miles in an astonishing short time.

In Siam is found a particularly warlike fish, and fish fighting is almost a national sport in that country. When a contest is to be staged, two of the fish are placed in a large glass bottle, and these natural gladiators do the rest.

Infinite Variety at Geneva.

Those who had the rare pleasure of looking in on a plenary session of the international woman's conference at Geneva were, in a few instances, unconvinced that out of such a variegated group unity of action and opinion could be possible, writes Alice La Maziere in Figaro. There were delegates from all parts of the world—blonde and heavy Scandinavians, robust and energetic Americans, frail and brunette Spaniards, Italians and Greeks, expressionless and saffron-colored Japanese and Hindus in over-embroidered gowns. And there were Frenchwomen despite the fact that though France has marched at the head of so many movements of emancipation, it will be a long while before she enfranchises her daughters. And we must not forget the delegate from Iceland, who journeyed for 30 days to be with us and came dressed in festival costume.

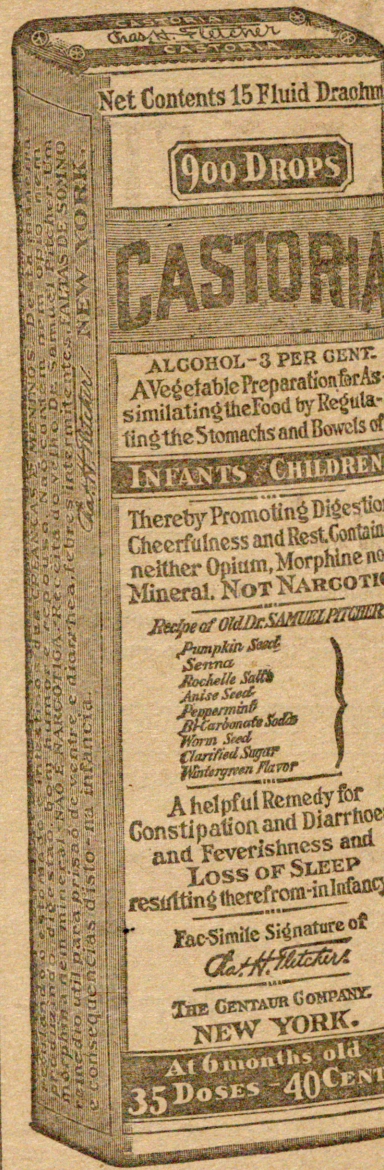
But Lady Astor, our good colleague from England, was the charm and grace of the conference. What will come of it all? Notwithstanding the opposition the women are meeting in certain countries—Spain, Italy, Switzerland, Turkey, France—the day is not far distant when we will act as a body in moral, political, educational and domestic questions. And our voice shall be heard when the specter of war threatens to arise.

The War Horse.

Mud-spattered, high power motorcars, careered along military roads, replaced foam-flecked chargers in the work of carrying generals and their staffs in the World war when it came to the actual business of a campaign. No panting charger carried a Wellington from a town 20 miles away—a motorcar did the work in 20 minutes without exciting comment. But the horse was not entirely robbed of his glorious place in the war. Motorcars might do the work better in actual campaigns, but when it came to the pump and panoply the horse was not entirely robbed of his glory. An army headed by a fat general coddled in the deep upholstery of a mere machine would not stir the imagination. He must sit on a prancing, arch-necked steed and return the cheers with sharp salutes while handling his mettlesome mount. So it was that the high officers of the allies had horses for ceremonial occasions.

Warning to Airmen Who Smoke.

An airman who drops a lighted pipe from his plane is responsible for any damage his pipe may cause. This was decided at a moot, or discussion, in Gray's Inn hall, London, recently, at which Justice Darling presided. Mr. Justice Darling, in the course of his judgment, said that for an airman to take a lighted pipe and smoke it when flying at a point where if it fell it would fall by gravitation to the earth instead of to the moon, to allow it to fall or not to prevent it to fall—that was in itself prima facie negligence. If the pipe fell to earth and set fire to a haystack or did any other damage, the person injured was entitled to an action to recover damages for negligence.—Brooklyn Eagle.



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The fourth day he dressed her wounds and made her comfortable in every way he could. Then she began to chatter and asked him question after question the last one being "Doctor, how am I really, now?" He remembered his experience with her talkative little tongue before the operation. "Oh, you're getting along splendidly," he retorted. "In fact, all the suffering you will now have to endure is just to keep quiet."

Only Thinks He Is. "Mrs. Jones, is your husband a member of any secret society?" "He thinks he is, but he talks in his sleep."

Baboons are, with a few exceptions, found only in Africa.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 27, 1920

TO OUR PATRONS

All advertisements must be in this office not later than Tuesday noon to insure publication in the current issue. As we are very busy advertisers will confer a favor by observing the above request.

Village Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE LEVYING AND COLLECTING OF TAXES FOR THE VILLAGE OF MOKENA, IN THE COUNTY OF WILL AND STATE OF ILLINOIS, FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR, A. D. 1920.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Mokena, County of Will and State of Illinois, as follows:-

Section 1. The sum of Thirty-four Hundred Fifty-five Dollars (\$3455) be and the same is hereby assessed and levied upon and against all real and personal property within the limits of the said Village of Mokena subject to taxation, according to the value of said property as the same is assessed and equalized for State and County purposes for the current year.

Said taxes hereby levied being for the current fiscal year of said Village of Mokena commencing July 1st, A. D. 1920, and to be applied in liquidation of the appropriation made for said fiscal year for Village purposes. Said sum of Thirty-four Hundred Fifty-five Dollars (\$3455) being levied and assessed for the following purposes, to-wit:-

Redemption of Water Main Extension Bond No. 5.....	\$300.00
Redemption of Building Bond No. 5.....	200.00
Interest on Water Main Extension Bonds.....	80.00
Interest on Building Bonds.....	40.00
Interest on Water-works Improvement Bonds.....	150.00
Salaries.....	225.00
Police and Fire Department.....	250.00
Lighting.....	950.00
Building and repairing fund.....	250.00
Streets and sidewalks.....	200.00
Grading of Streets.....	500.00
Contingent fund.....	200.00
Total.....	\$3445.00

Section 2. That there are hereby certified to the County Clerk of Will County, Illinois, the several sums stated as aforesaid and the total of said stated amounts, to-wit: Thirty-four Hundred Fifty-five Dollars (\$3455) for Village purposes, which said sums the Village of Mokena requires to be raised by taxation as aforesaid for the CURRENT fiscal year of said Village of Mokena commencing July 1st, A. D. 1920, and for the purposes hereinbefore stated and the Village Clerk of said Village of Mokena is hereby directed to file with the County Clerk of said Will County and State of Illinois, on or before the third Tuesday in September, A. D. 1920, a copy of this ordinance duly certified by said Village CLERK under the corporate seal of said Village.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect, from and after its passage, approval and publication according to law.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith or any section hereof are hereby repealed.

Passed this 25th day of August, A. D. 1920.

WM. SEMMLER,

Village Clerk.

I hereby approve the above and foregoing ordinance this 25th day of August, A. D. 1920.

GEO. J. HACKER,

President of the Board of Trustees.
Attest:-
WM. SEMMLER,

Village Clerk.

The White House.

John Adams was the first president to occupy the White House, in 1800. In those days it was gray, having been built of Virginia free stone. After the British burned it in 1814, white paint was used to cover the marks of the fire, and since that time this paint has been renewed regularly. The White House grounds within the iron fence contain 18 acres, while the adjoining White House lot has 70 acres.

How to Petrify Wood.

Take gem salt, rock alum, white vinegar, chalk and pebbles powder, of each an equal quantity. Mix well together. If, after the ebullition is over, you throw into this liquid any wood or porous substance it will turn the substance into stone in four or five days.

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He voted for woman's suffrage.

He voted for the 18th amendment.

He voted for the Federal Reserve Bank which made the country panic proof.

He voted for the Farmers' Loan Bank.

He voted on hundreds of other measures but these cited are typical.

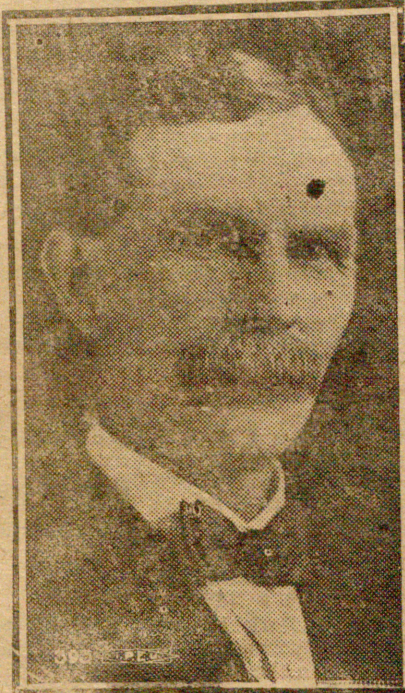
They show you what kind of a congressman you have and what kind of a man he is.

He thinks he has done as his people wished him to and

On his record as a public servant asks re-nomination in the Republican primary, September 15, 1920.

Copley Campaign Committee

Edward Corlett, Chairman.



JAMES R. BENTLEY

Republican Candidate

For Re-Nomination

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

41st District

Primaries, September 15, 1920

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ROBERT WARWICK in
"A CITY OF MASKS"

TUESDAY

CONSTANCE BINNEY in
"THE STOLEN KISS"

WEDNESDAY

MARY MILES MINTER in
"JENNIE BE GOOD"

THURSDAY

ALL STAR CAST

In Richard Davies Great Play

"SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE"

FRIDAY

SHIRLEY MASON in
"THE LITTLE WANDERER"

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

CHARLES RAY in

"HOMER COMES HOME"

GRAND THEATRE

EVERY

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

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WESTERN PRODUCTIONS

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Robt. W. Martin

Candidate for the Republican Nomination, for State's Attorney

It is the duty of every voter to ascertain the qualifications of candidates for office. The opinions of others concerning a candidate's ability are usually more valuable than his own statements. The official duties of a State's Attorney some times call for his appearance before the Supreme Court of the State.

The correspondent of a Springfield, Ill., newspaper, after hearing an oral argument made by Mr. Martin before the Supreme Court, caused the following comment to be printed:

"Experienced court attaches declare that they had no doubt of the outcome of the case from the time State's Attorney Martin of Joliet made his presentation to the court. His argument, they declare, was an unusual one and a masterpiece of clever, analytical presentation of the evidence and the law.

"The Joliet attorney made a remarkable impression in the court accustomed to hearing arguments from the leading members of the bar and it is reported that the jurists in commenting on it, unofficially declared that it was one of the best presentations in their experience."

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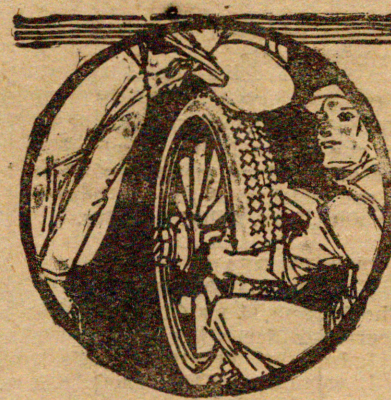
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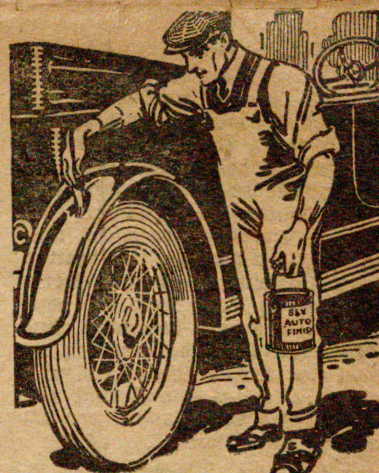
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known only a short while, came one
evening to say good-by, as he was
leaving on a long trip. When I ushered
him into the parlor I discovered
that my young brother had hung
crepe on all the furniture!—Chicago
Tribune.

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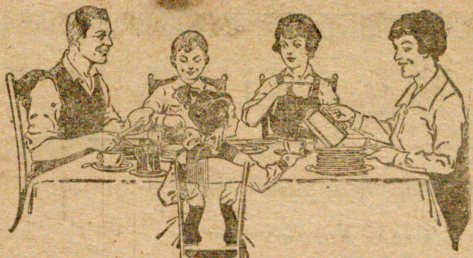
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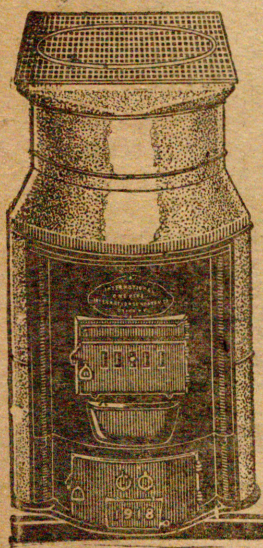
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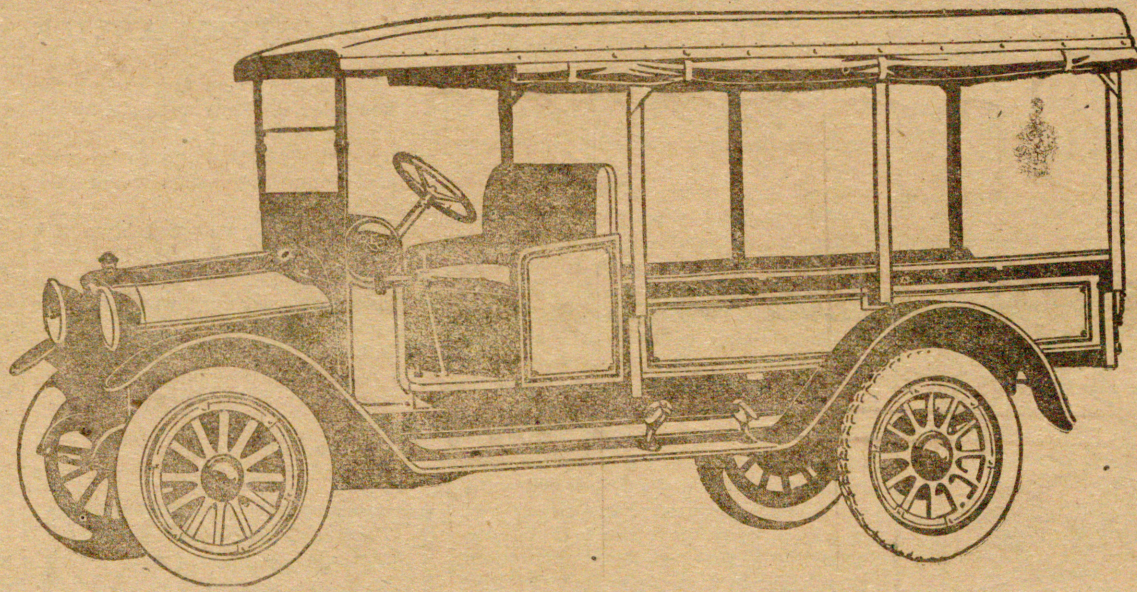
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THIS face may not be as familiar to you as some others. Rehn never ran for office before.

He is thirty-four, has lived in Joliet since he was three. The son of a Joliet stone mason, Rehn early learned to "hew close to the line" and to keep persistently pounding away. He has built up a large law practice by these methods and by rendering real service to his clients.

If the people of Will county vote to hire him as their State's Attorney, he will justify their confidence and earn his salary by the same sort of service.

HJALMAR REHN

Candidate for the

Republican Nomination

for the office of

State's Attorney

of Will County

Vote for Hjalmar Rehn September 15, 1920

READ THE NEWS-BULLETIN

Celluloid.
Celluloid, from which many toilet articles and imitations of ivory are made, is composed from the cellulose found in cotton cloth or ray cotton. It is treated with a solution of nitric acid which forms it into a pulp very much like paper pulp. It is then washed with water, which removes most of the acid. It is partially hardened and camphor gum mixed with it, when it is rolled into sheets and thoroughly dried. To manipulate it, it is softened by steam and then hardened by drying.

Why Frankfurt.

King Carl the Great (Charlemagne) was once defeated by the Saxons, and fled with his Franks to the Main. But they could find no fording place by which to escape the pursuit of their enemies. Suddenly a cart appeared and made for a spot where it crossed easily, thus showing the Franks where the river was fordable. So they came across the Main, and the place has ever since been called "Frankfurt" (the ford of the Franks).

Good Servant, Poor Master.

It is well to have a hobby, says the New York Medical Journal. It is well to have a hobby which can be used as a faithful servant. It is well to have a hobby as long as you can ride it, but when it begins to ride you it is better to look about for another steed.

Airy, Cross-Eyed Gent Wanted.

Advertisement—For Rent—Furnished room for gentleman looking both ways and well ventilated.—Boston Transcript.

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Sections present the
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New Fall Suits
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Suits of all the popular
Fall fabrics -- trimmed
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SUPPOSE a French dressmaker, say for instance Lavin, or Jenney or Benard, would offer to come to Joliet and make you a pretty dress at a very moderate price--you would like it?

Of course--

That is why you'll like the "Crown" French models we show this season.

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Women's Gloves
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A GOOD TIRE AT A LOW PRICE

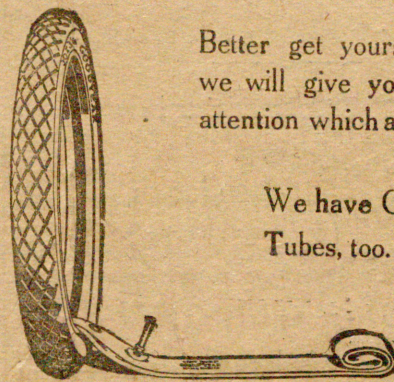
Goodyear 30x3 Single Cure Smooth Tread.....\$15.00
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Goodyear 30x3 1-2 Double Cure All-Weather Tread..... 23.50

There are tires and tires—but GOODYEARS at such prices offer an unusual value you drivers of light cars can not afford to overlook.

No tires bearing the Goodyear name contain a higher relative value than these, not even the famous Goodyear Cords for the highest priced automobiles.

Better get yours today. Buy it here, and we will give you afterwards that interested attention which assures longest mileage.

We have Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes, too. You'll find none better



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Mokena, Illinois

Rann-dom Reels

By HOWARD L. RANN

THE MUFFLER CUT-OUT

THE muffler cut-out is an attachment which enables the automobile to talk out loud.

Until the muffler cut-out was invented the only thing about an automobile that would talk was money. It became necessary to get up something that would take the owner's mind off the cost of upkeep, hence the cut-out was introduced, with the result that its raucous snort may be heard on every country road from coast to coast.

The cut-out has a number of decided advantages, however. When a strong, lusty cut-out is coming around a sharp corner with its mouth wide open it is not necessary to sound the horn, as its language can be heard with perfect ease by anybody who is driving in the next township. By the judicious use of this device the life of many a joy rider who could be spared as well as not has been saved to the community, and the speed maniac who drives on the left side of the road has also been entirely preserved, including his arrow-shaped head-piece.

The muffler cut-out is also useful as a means of informing the driver whether his engine is still in the car

or has dropped out through the crank case. Thousands of men drive along in fancied security until they step on the cut-out by accident and discover that two cylinders have laid off for the afternoon. The cut-out tells all about this and also causes the engine to stutter like a span of mules with the string halt.

In some communities the cut-out



Step on the Cut-out and Discover That Two Cylinders Have Laid Off for the Afternoon.

is so unpopular that the village constable is hired to suppress its conversation. Various attempts have been made to silence the operation of this device, but the only one that has been found effective is a fine of \$10 and costs and thirty days in the county jail.

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Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

"IT'S A BOY."

The doctor leads a busy life, he wages war with death.

Long hours he spends to help the one who's fighting hard for breath. He cannot call his time his own, nor share in others' fun.

His duties claim him through the night when others' work is done, And yet the doctor seems to be God's messenger of joy, Appointed to announce this news of gladness: "It's a boy!"

In many ways unpleasant is the doctor's round of cares, I should not like to have to bear the burdens that he bears, His eyes must look on horrors grim, unmoved he must remain, Emotion he must master if he hopes to conquer pain, Yet to his lot this duty falls, his voice he must employ To speak to man the happiest phrase that's sounded, "It's a boy!"

I wish 'twere given me to speak a message half so glad As that the doctor brings unto the fear-distressed dad, I wish that simple words of mine could change the skies to blue And lift the care from troubled hearts, as those he utters do, I wish that I could banish all the thoughts that man annoy And cheer him as the doctor does, who whispers: "It's a boy."

Whoever through the hours of night has stood outside her door And wondered if she'd smile again; whoever has paced the floor And lived those years of fearful thoughts, and then been swept from woe, Up to the topmost height of bliss

MOTHER'S COOK BOOK by Nellie Maxwell

September strews the woodlands o'er With many a brilliant color; The world is brighter than before— Why should our hearts be duller? Sorrow and the scarlet leaf, Sad thoughts and sunny weather! Ah! meet this glory and this grief Agree not well together. —T. W. Parsons.

Food for the Family.

A bran bread which is wholesome and easily made is a recipe which should be found in all households. The following is a good one:

Cabbage and Apple Salad.

Chop together one cabbage head, four tart apples, season well with salt and cayenne and mix with a good mayonnaise dressing. Serve at once.

Bran Bread.

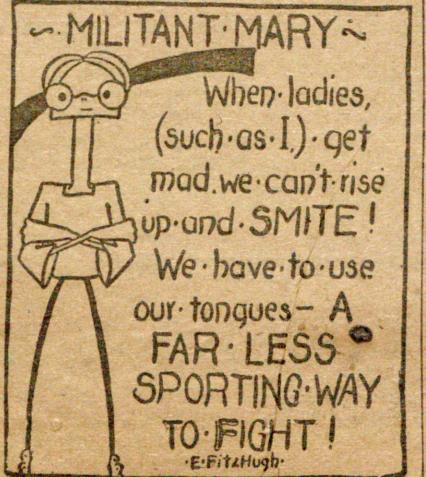
Take one pint each of flour and bran, one cupful of buttermilk, or sweet milk will do, a teaspoonful of soda, a half teaspoonful of salt, three tablespoonfuls of molasses. Mix and bake one hour to one hour and a quarter.

Graham Popovers.

Take one cupful each of graham flour and white flour, one cupful each of milk and water, a teaspoonful of sugar and a half teaspoonful of salt. Beat the flour and the milk together then add the water and other ingredients, beat well with an egg beater, pour into hot gem pans and bake in a hot oven. These are light as a feather.

Prune Bread.

Wash a cupful of prunes and soak over night in water to cover. In the morning remove the pits and chop the prunes, add one quart of flour, one pint of graham flour, a teaspoonful of salt, a tablespoonful of sugar, one yeast cake dissolved in lukewarm water and enough warm milk to make



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History

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

HISTORY is a marvelous Teacher. From her pages speak events, experiences and thrilling deeds—all products of the human Brain.

You are now playing a part of the future History of the World. Even the humblest man or woman has his part to play. And the part played must needs be recorded.

The work of your days and life—whether for good or ill, in its final summing up—is as sure to mark or influence some phase of the entire History of Histories, as each act you perform today is sure to give color and form to the final results of today.

Yes—you are now playing a part of the future History of the World.

It is the realization of this truth by men and women that inspires some to become great and notable while others remain obscure. For just as soon as people wake up to the fact that Responsibility presses down upon them, they begin to draw upon their Reserve Power. And it is Reserve Power that helps make History fascinating.

You are now playing a part of the future History of the World.

It is not necessary, however, nor is it possible for us all to become notable in History. History is universal. And so is the Mind that makes up the human Soul. You—doing your work in the best way you know how—are as great an element in History as Alexander, or Washington, or Cromwell or such as they. Study History. It will arouse you to big deeds. Live as you would like to have History say you lived.

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SCHOOL DAYS



that's given men to know, Will tell you there's no phrase so sweet, so charged with human joy As that the doctor brings from God—that message: "It's a boy!" Copyright, by Edgar A. Guest.

Last Night's Dreams —What They Mean

DID YOU DREAM OF HENS?

THIS is not a common dream but it is a most favorable one, partaking of that generally beneficent character which appertains to nearly all bucolic visions. Dream-hens and dream-chickens are equally of fortunate omen.

If the hens are making that peculiar noise called "singin'" then is the dream more than ever propitious, as it foretells thrift, many children and domestic happiness. If you see a brood of chickens instead of hens it is true that you will probably have many petty cares and worries before you will attain your good fortune, but you will eventually get there and all your voracious turns out to your advantage.

Any one about to embark in a business venture attended with some risk should by all means dream of chickens, as it shows that his venture will turn out successful beyond his expectations. For a young unmarried woman to dream of an old mother-hen surrounded by her chicks is a sign that she will be married before the chickens have grown up to henhood, and the chickens of Dreamland mature into hens about as rapidly as other chickens. For any one to see in a dream a hen with a brood of chickens about her denotes that there will soon be a marriage in the family. It is but fair to state that most authorities made it a prerequisite for success in a business venture after dreaming of chickens that the dreamer should have with him plenty of determination.

If your dream-hens are running about cackling as if they had just laid one of those eighty-cents-a-dozen eggs we read about it shows that something will occur to mar your happiness—probably the price of eggs will go up still farther. Nor is it good luck to dream of killing a hen.

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Pressed cardboard covers to protect the tops of school desks are the invention of a California janitor.



MR. ROOSTER'S ADVICE

IT WAS raining very fast and all the hens and chickens were sitting under the bushes at one corner of the yard waiting for the rain to be over, for each knew the worms would then be easier to find.

Old Mr. Rooster was watching with the rest of the family. He had lived at the farm longer than the others and so was considered very wise and was very much respected.

The hens taught their chicks to look upon old Mr. Rooster as their protector and as one to be listened to in all things.

When the rain was over young Mrs. Hen jumped up to scratch for worms



before the others came from under the bushes.

She was lucky enough to get a very large one the first scratch, but before she had it dragged from the ground out ran all the others and began to tug and pull until in the end no one got the worm.

"Now, what a silly family I have," thought old Mr. Rooster, who had not run with the others. "All so greedy that not one of them had a bite. I must talk to them and tell them how silly they are."

In spite of the worms, when Mr. Rooster called his family they all came running to see what he wanted. "I want to give you some advice,"



I MAKA da mind up eef I finda one I guy I am looka for I senda heem een da hospitaal. I no care wot happen weeth me so longa I putta da sucker on da bum. For tree, four week gotta hard time feela good when ees everyday too moocha hot.

Other day I remember wot one guy tella me longa time ago lasa year. He was mad weeth me and I was mad enough for makka da fight. I was getta pretty sore weeth heem and I say eef he do somating I putta heem on da bum. And he tella me eef I putta heem on da bum he make eet hot for me.

So now I know wot's matter I getta so hot and hava trouble keepa da ambish. No feela good for work or sleep—jusa keepa changa da clothes lika fall een da well tree, four time every day. So I tink eef I putta da guy out of commish mebbe ees getta leetle cool, I dunno.

My boss was getta pretty hot today, too. He looka jusa lika been een da swim weeth da clothes on. He say to me, "Do you perspire, Pietro?" I dunno exact wot he mean, but I feegure mebbe was habit lika dreunk or smoke or swear or somating lika dat. So I tella heem I never try perspire, but eef 'can getta cool mebbe I taka one chance.

Da boss tella me een da hot weather he jusa perspire all day. I dunno how he finda time for do dat when ees everyday too hot. Mebbe da boss no sweat so moocha lika me, I dunno.

Wot you tink?

CROSBY'S KIDS



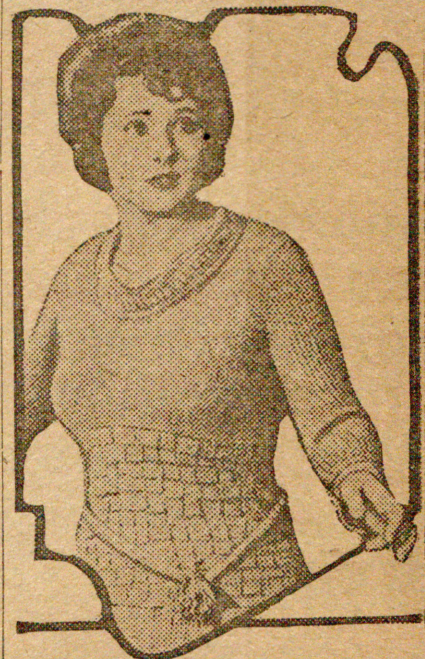
time he saw a struggle he should take the worm, but he did not say what he should do with it.

"He ate it, my dears," said old Mrs. Hen. "I am sure of it, and he will take every one we find if he sees it, so we better be careful."

There was no more quarreling among Mr. Rooster's family after that, and as he walked around the yard he said to himself, "You have to use force when they will not listen to reason, but that certainly was a fine, plump worm."

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BETTY BLYTHE



Handsome Betty Blythe is regarded as one of the most beautiful women on the "movie" screen today. She has been declared by critics throughout the country as the screen's most classic beauty.

a goose to tie up to some woman, thus taking the usual terrific chance of being unsuited or unsuitable. While if he's suited with a wife—gosh, that would be bigamy!

No, we wouldn't marry if suited. In fact, in a burst of confidence, we are suited with a wife, and we don't intend marrying.

It would be just the same, though, if we weren't suited at all. Our wife wouldn't let us.

Hasn't Changed Things Much.

A Utah boy has invented a combination triangle and rule, for use in mathematics. The "eternal triangle" seems to have been the rule for years, in French fiction and on the stage.

FINNIGIN FILOSOFY.

Some liars are mighty deceptive. Jist whin yez think yez can depend on thim t' lie abt th' time, they'll unexpectedly tell th' truth an' desave yez.

What the Sphinx Says

By NEWTON NEWKIRK.



"A Haz-been can give you better advice than a Never-wuz."

BEAUTY CHATS

by Edna Kent Forbes

THE EARS

SEVERAL women have asked how to overcome protruding ears in half grown children, and several how to overcome such defects in themselves. One correspondent—in this case a man—wrote:

"The boys called me 'bunny' and 'rabbit' at school, my ears stuck out so, and because one tooth was out beyond the others. A dentist pulled this and inserted a smaller crown, in proper alignment. But the ears still stand out and make any face stupid looking, and homely. I am thirty years old now, and think it is too late to have my ears placed properly. Can you advise me, however?"

The ears are always more or less flexible, and if, through carelessness or ignorance on the part of the mother the baby's ears are allowed to protrude, the grown person can only do what the mother should have done. That is, bind the ears close to the head, and let them stay so all night. How many months it will take before the ears lie close to the head of themselves, I cannot say, for this depends upon the flexibility of the muscles, and the person's age. It is a simple treatment however, and should be tried by every one with outstanding ears. For they will give the suggestion of stupidity and even degeneracy, to the brightest of faces.

Now about exercises—The best of all breathing exercises is the old Yogi method of filling first the lower part of the lungs, then the middle part, and lastly the upper part, holding the breath a few seconds, letting it out slowly. The manner in

which the air is brought into the body exercises certain inner muscles, that directly affect the health for good. The best exercises for arms and legs are



Outstanding Ears Can Be Banded Down in This Way.

the setting up exercises used in the army and navy. Any recruiting station, or any enlisted man can give you these.

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SMALL STREAMS FURNISH POWER

Electricity Can Be Generated for
Farm and Home Use at
Very Little Expense.

CHEAP SUPPLY OF CURRENT

Great Shortage of Labor Makes It Desirable for Farmer to Take Advantage of Every Opportunity to Cut Expenses.

Many farmers unknowingly have on their farms a source of power that could be put to work at very little expense and could be made to fill many farm and domestic needs. This is the stream, large or small, that now runs away in wasted energy. Particularly at this time, when there is a great shortage of labor on the farms, it is desirable that the farmers take advantage of every possible means of utilizing power. Electricity, too, for farm and domestic uses benefits the farmer's wife as much as it does the farmer himself, for it relieves her of much of the drudgery of housework and adds greatly to the comfort of farm life.

The farmer's needs go hand in hand with those of the wife, so, in considering the size of the power plant to be installed, he should include her requirements as well as his own. The desirability of a dependable, convenient and cheap supply of electric current for use for light and power purposes on country places is so manifest that one is justified usually in going to some lengths to secure it. It is advisable to put in a plant somewhat larger than the needs of the moment require. An additional horsepower or two will not greatly change the first cost, while use will always be found for any original excess.

Supplies Over Ten Horsepower.
A stream 10 feet wide with an average depth of 2 feet and flowing at the rate of 2 feet a second under a head of 5 feet is capable of supplying over 10 horsepower, according to estimates made by engineers of the division of rural engineering, bureau of public roads, of the United States department of agriculture, that have been investigating the utilization of farm streams as sources of energy for generating electricity. Ten horsepower is equivalent to about 7½ kilowatts, which is sufficient electricity for all lighting on the average farmstead and for operating motors for many of the usual needs for power, such as the washing machine, milking machine, separator, churn, feed grinder, fanning mill, etc. If the head could be made 10 feet instead of 5, the horsepower could be doubled. Or if the stream were twice as wide or twice as deep with but a 5-foot head the result would be the same.



Combined With Another of Equal Size, This Stream Furnished Power for Lighting and Performing Many Farm and Household Tasks.

The minimum conditions under which an installation should be considered are, roughly, a flow of 100 gallons per minute and a head of 10 feet, or the equivalent. Under these conditions the amount of electricity generated continuously is small, but by permitting the plant to run continuously and storing the current generated in storage batteries, a supply may be always at hand for the lighting and small power requirements of the farm.

Small and Large Plants.
A plant capable of furnishing current for as many as 50 to 100 lights for the house, barn, outbuildings, yard and drives; providing ample current for washing, ironing, vacuum cleaning, electric fans, toasters, percolators, hot plates, sewing machine, etc., for all cooking, heating of water and the house in the coldest weather, as well as for operating motors for all the various farming operations even during the winter, necessarily must be considered the exception. On the other hand, the smallest plant which is worthy of consideration is one having a capacity of but eight to ten lights.

Between these two extremes, there exist today on our farms the means of developing thousands of plants large enough to supply between five and ten horsepower during all seasons of the year. It will be found that these plants will fill the needs of the average farm and provide an excess for emergencies. The cost may be considered well within the reach of thousands of owners today.

Where conditions offer the opportunity for development, the first step is to determine the quantity of water which is available. This may be done preferably by either the weir or cross-section velocity methods. Unless the stream is of such width as to entail too large an outlay for the construction of a weir dam, the former method should be used as more accurate results are obtained with it. Neither method requires any special technical skill if one will follow directions carefully. Both methods are described fully in Yearbook Separate 770, "Electric Lights and Power From Small Streams," copies of which are available for free distribution from the division of publications, United States department of agriculture.

Information on Fresh Eggs.

1. Keep the nests clean. One nest for four hens.
2. Gather eggs twice daily.
3. Keep eggs in cool, dry cellar.
4. Market at least twice a week.
5. Swat the rooster.

FIRST ATTEMPT MADE AT POULTRY RAISING

Safest Plan to Start in Small
Way With Small Flock.

Errors Will Be Made and Many Difficult Problems Encountered Before Success Is Attained—Fall Good Time to Start.

The safest way for those who are about to make their first attempt at poultry raising is to start in a small way with a few fowls, and learn the business thoroughly before making large investments, advise poultry specialists of the United States department of agriculture. Mistakes will be made and many difficult problems will be presented for solution before success in any large measure will be attained. As soon as it is found to be a paying investment, more capital may be put into the plant.

Another good plan for the beginner who wishes to learn the art of poultry keeping is to secure a position with some successful poultryman. One or two years of work on a large, practical plant will be found a great help, as the methods of caring for the birds and of marketing the products can thus be learned better than in almost any other way.

The question is often asked, What is the best time of the year for one to begin? When to begin is not very important. Fall is a good time, for then stock can be purchased for less money than at any other season. It is also advisable to move the fowls to their new quarters before they begin to lay.

If the beginner has had experience in poultry keeping, it will be all right to purchase eggs, otherwise he should begin with the fowls and thus gain some knowledge of caring for poultry before attempting to raise chickens.

TEN BREEDS—ALL PUREBRED

No Scrub Sires Used on Large Virginia Stock Farm—Chickens and Turkeys Included.

"We use no scrub sires." With this comment and a full statement of breeding stock kept, the superintendent of a large Virginia farm enrolled cattle, horses, swine, sheep, chickens and turkeys in the "Better Sires—Better Stock" movement. Ten breeds of live stock are represented.

The stock includes a dairy herd of 58 Holstein cattle, a beef herd of 302 Herefords, 31 Percheron horses, 6 Standard-bred horses, 1 jack, 78 Duroc swine, 204 Shropshire and Romney sheep, and nearly 200 chickens and turkeys. Of the female animals a large majority are grades, but all are being bred to purebred sires, as required by the conditions of the better-sires campaign.

MOST PROFITABLE BUSINESS

To Secure Good Returns From Poultry Flock Keep Good Stock and Give Good Care.

The farm poultry flock should be one of the most profitable branches of the farm business. To bring this condition about it is necessary to keep good stock and to have the flock of a suitable size, properly housed, fed and cared for. This is not a complicated matter and the farmer should not think that it requires such specialized knowledge and skill as to discourage him at the start, make him throw up his hands with the cry, "What's the use?" and let the hens shift for themselves.

INCREASE ALFALFA ACREAGE

Advantages of Fall Seeding Are Such That No Farmer Should Fail to Consider Matter.

Every farmer who contemplates an increase in his alfalfa acreage—and there should be a large number—can well afford to consider the possibility of getting some of it started next fall. Much, of course, depends on the soil, the location in the state, and the season, but the advantages of fall seeding are such that no one should fail to consider it carefully wherever there is a fair chance of success.

POULTRY FLOCKS

FOOD PRODUCTS FROM FOWLS

On Average Farm Poultry Furnish About 10 Per Cent of Meat for Family Use.

A large proportion of the poultry products of this country are produced on general farms. Nearly every farm has its poultry flock. The average American farmer reserves about three dozen eggs a week for family use and about 50 fowls are consumed by the family during the year. These food products can be secured absolutely fresh, which considerably enhances the value of this contribution from the farm, says the United States department of agriculture. Of the meat furnished by the farm to the operator and his family, poultry constitutes about 10 per cent.

A small flock of poultry can be kept on the farm at little cost. The fowls find scattered grain about the farmstead and on the adjoining grain fields after harvest. Garden refuse and kitchen waste are usually available for them. They also feed on insects and worms. In many cases the farmer's wife and children find pleasure in caring for the flock.

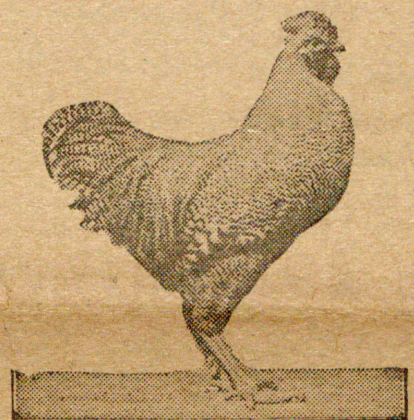
STEW OR SELL ALL ROOSTERS

Male Bird Does Not Aid in Production of Eggs and Should Be Disposed Of in Summer.

Farmers lose many millions of dollars annually from bad methods of producing and handling eggs. Much of this loss is preventable, because it is due to the partial hatching of fertile eggs, which have been allowed to become warm enough to begin to incubate.

You can help save the loss due to blood rings by keeping the male bird from your flock after the hatching season is over.

The rooster does not help the hens to lay. He merely fertilizes the germ of the egg. The fertile germ in hot weather quickly becomes a blood ring, which spoils the egg for food and market. Summer heat has the same



Hens Not Running With Rooster Produce Best Eggs for Market and Preservation.

effect on fertile eggs as the hen or incubator. After the hatching season is over, cook, sell, or pen your rooster. Your hens not running with a male bird will produce infertile eggs—quality eggs that keep best and market best.—United States Department of Agriculture.

CLEAN CONDITION OF FLOCK

Boards Under Roosts Make It Easy to Remove Droppings Daily—Little Sand Helps.

To keep the flock in a clean and sanitary condition dropping boards should be provided and roosts above them. This makes it easy to remove the droppings each morning and helps greatly to keep the house free from objectionable odors. A little sand sprinkled on the dropping boards after each cleaning will make the cleaning easier.

HOMEMADE HOPPER IS HANDY

Joint of Stovepipe and Wooden Box Make Convenient Device for Feeding Dry Mash.

An easy way to make a hopper for feeding dry mash to poultry is with a joint of stovepipe and a wooden box, 10x10x4 inches. Set the box on the floor and hang the stovepipe from the roof so that it is about ½ inch from the bottom of the box. Fill the pipe with the dry mash. It will feed down into the box as the chickens eat it out.



Gather the eggs twice daily.

Market the eggs at least twice a week.

Keep the eggs in a cool, dry room or cellar.

As food there is nothing better to supply protein and mineral matter than eggs.

Trees with good-sized tops and out in the open so that air may circulate freely about them, are a tired hen's idea of paradise. Fix up some open sheds if you cannot have trees.



DOG AND CAT.

"Chink, the dog, and Zeppy, the cat, were talking," said Daddy.

"Chink was sitting inside a screened piazza and Zeppy was sitting outside."

"Of course, they were great friends and the reason one was outside and the other inside was because Chink had been napping and Zeppy had been out for an airing. They belonged to the same lady and they were very happy and very friendly."

"I really would be ashamed," said Zeppy, "if I had to have screens and mosquito netting put up because of me. Why the mosquitoes and flies haven't got any decent pride."

"They don't mind if they're not asked in. They don't even mind if they have screens put up on piazzas and in windows to keep them out."

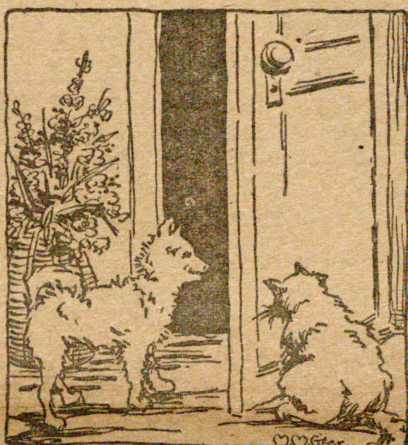
"If they get a chance to get in they will just the same. Now I am outside of course, but all I have to do is meow and I am allowed in, and if you are out you know what you have to do to get in."

"Of course," said Chink, "all I have to do is to stand in front of the door and wag my tail and they let me in. I am really invited in whenever I want to go in. I am a member of the family as you are. But I cannot understand the ways of mosquitoes and the ways of flies who will come in even when things are made so plain that they must stay out."

"Now it is true that here on the farm they put up scarecrows to look like men to scare the crows away."

"But, the actions of crows are a little more easily understood. The crows simply want a meal, they do not want to come around and bite people and make them uncomfortable."

"Every time though that I look at the make-believe crow on the entrance



"They Let Me In."

to the gate of the garden I feel like talking to him and saying,

"Well, old boy, those two scarecrows in the fields beyond are put up for you."

"He looks so real sitting there on the fence."

"I knew he wasn't real," said Zeppy, "for I sat and watched him for ever so long and he didn't caw. I went up to him and I asked him if he couldn't caw."

"My dear fellow," I said to him, "are you quite dumb, can't you speak?" And he didn't say a word.

"So I knew he was a make-believe crow for between not answering and not moving one could tell."

"And then a day or so afterwards I saw the lady who looks after us all pick up the crow and fix him so he looks in another direction as she put him and then I knew he wasn't real."

"I am glad I'm not a make-believe cat. If I were a make-believe cat I wouldn't be given any milk."

"You wouldn't want any milk if you were a make-believe cat," said Chink.

"Oh, but once I passed a house, and outside were two make-believe lions. Their mouths were open and I felt so sorry that they couldn't be given bones and big chunks of meat and that they couldn't roar."

"Well, I never before knew you to care so much for other creatures," laughed Chink.

"I'm feeling sorry for make-believe creatures, not for real ones," grinned Zeppy.

"Did you hear that the youngest kitten of Mrs. Black Cat was playing with a key she got out of the pantry door and that she lost it and that no one could get into the pantry and there was a terrible time? They had to break the lock."

"Why, what exciting news you have to tell. No, I didn't hear that. Well, well, and did they send the kitten to bed without any milk for supper?"

"They didn't for she was too young, she didn't know any better."

"Ah, it is nice to be friends, isn't it, Zeppy?"

"Fine, fine, me-ow, me-ow," said Zeppy. "But it is beyond me as I said in the first place to understand creatures like mosquitoes and flies who get all the hints that they aren't wanted and still haven't pride enough to stay away."

"It is something I cannot understand either," said Chink.

Great Grandmothers.

"Mamma," said five-year-old Charles, looking up from his story book, "what does this story mean about a great-grandmother? Ain't all grandmothers great?"

Facts for Sick Women



Reliable Information

All American women know of the great success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in restoring to health women who suffered from ailments peculiar to their sex, yet there are some who are skeptical and do not realize that all that is claimed for it is absolutely true—if they did, our laboratory would not be half large enough to supply the demand, though today it is the largest in the country used for the manufacture of one particular medicine.

The Facts contained in the following two letters should prove of benefit to many women:

Buffalo, N. Y.—"I suffered with organic inflammation and displacement. When lifting I had such pain and bearing down that I was not able to stand up, and it hurt me to walk or go up or down stairs. I was going to a doctor without any results and he said the safest thing would be to have an operation. I met a lady who told me she had three operations and was not well until she took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I felt relief after taking two bottles of Vegetable Compound and I kept on with it until I was cured. I always use Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills and they are fine. Everything used to turn sour on my stomach and the Liver Pills relieved that."—Mrs. A. BOOMS, 633 Fargo Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y.

Sacramento, Calif.—"I had organic trouble and had such terrible pain and swelling in the lower part of my side that I could not stand on my feet or even let the bed clothes touch my side. I gave up my work thinking I would not be able to go back for months. My mother advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as it had saved her life at one time, and it put me in a wonderful condition in a couple of weeks, so I can keep on working. I work in a department store and have to stand on my feet all day and I do not have any more pains. I surely recommend your Vegetable Compound to all my friends and you may use these facts as a testimonial."—BERTHA J. PARKER, 3320 M St., Sacramento, Calif.

The fact is, the Best Medicine for Women is

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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A Self-Starter.

"Are you an expert salesman?" asked the manager.

"Can sell anything from an ice pick to an automobile. For instance, that car of yours outside—"

"Yes, yes."

"Well, I sold it to a guy who was passing."—Boston Transcript.

WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

Pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble.

Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, may be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a medium or large size bottle immediately from any drug store. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

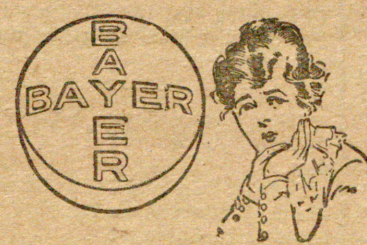
A Leading Clue.

"What made the prohibition enforcement agents suspect a staid, respectable elderly woman of having whisky bottles concealed about her?"

"I'm sure I don't know, unless it was her corkscrew curls."

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine



"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" is genuine Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for over twenty years. Accept only an unbroken "Bayer package" which contains proper directions to relieve Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Colds and Pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer packages." Aspirin is trade mark Bayer Manufacture Monocetate of Salicylic acid.—Adv.

One Way.

Knicker—"How does he reduce the cost of clothing?" Bocker—"He waits for a great man's clothing to fall on him."

Those Wags.

"You say the revolver you bought had six chambers?"

"Six chambers and a seller."

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Brought to the American market 30 years ago as the first Bitter Wine. It is still first and second to none. Unsurpassed for poor appetite, headaches, constipation, flatulence and other stomach troubles.

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NR Tablets stop sick headaches, relieve bilious attacks, tone and regulate the eliminative organs, make you feel fine.

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ORDER UNDER THE LAW

With every opportunity given to a majority to change the law.

This is the issue of the forthcoming Congressional Primary Campaign. As the basic principle of all government and the greatest guarantee of human freedom under the American Constitution, it must be maintained.

Upon this principle Congressman Copley, in his sixth Campaign for Congress, will appeal to those citizens who believe in its observance.

THE SERVICE MEN

Who fought the battle of America.

Because Congressman Copley has been their "friend at court." Every fair request that a soldier or sailor ever made has been heeded and all possible aid given. Because he has been outspoken in his support of the adjusted compensation bill and untiring in his efforts to secure its passage.

THE FARMERS

*Who as a class are an anchor to the
windward in an unsettled world.*

Because they know that Congressman Copley will protect every legitimate interest of agriculture. Mr. Copley is a man who knows that the sixty-two per cent of America's population in the cities can not prosper unless the thirty-eight per cent who feed them do.

THE WOMEN

Who should have the vote by primary time.

Because as they say: "He has always been on the right side of national questions." Congressman Copley has always voted for equal suffrage, once when the change of a single vote would have set their cause back many years. His Child Labor Bill introduced in the 63rd Congress was the first of its kind.

THE LABORING MEN

Who believe in a live and let live policy.

Because as an employer Mr. Copley has always been a little more than just. His ten-year Record of representing all his constituents in all fairness will stand the attack of a small and disgruntled minority attempting to kindle class prejudice for their own advantage.

THE BUSINESS MEN

*Who desire to see industry and
commerce on a stable basis again.*

Because Congressman Copley is himself a successful business man. He is pledged to the repeal of cumbersome and restrictive revenue legislation. Because he believes in the American principle of free competition and a just return. America needs a business administration today.

COPLEY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE
EDWARD CORLETT, Chairman.

MOKENA

Miss Minnie Eggers who has been quite ill is much improved.

Wm. Niethammer attended the Kankakee fair the past week.

George Maue is attending the big State Fair at Springfield this week.

A week end party was held at the Tom Clyde's home Saturday in honor of Mrs. Clyde's sister, Mrs. Seltzer who has returned to Oklahoma after spending a few weeks here. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Smith of Chicago and family were entertained at the week end party.

The annual Wheatland plowing Match will be held this year September 23 and as usual is open to the world. Fully 10,000 people usually attend this annual urban fete. The ladies will serve the customary chicken dinner. Dale Mottinger is the president of the institution.

Prof. S. J. Eakle, former school principal of the Mokena school, now located at Poplar Grove, Illinois, called on old Mokena friends the past week. Prof. Eakle looks well and says he enjoys his work very much. A county fair was recently held at Poplar Grove and from the account given of it by Prof. Eakle it was a highly interesting affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reynolds and Master George Reynolds left last Sunday for a trip to Washington, D. C., the latter place being Mrs. Reynolds', Baltimore, Md., and Emmitsburg, Md. home. They will be joined in Washington by their son Eugene who will then accompany them on the balance of their trip. Mr. Reynolds will return in two weeks while Mrs. Reynolds will not return until about the first of October. Eugene is at present stationed in Philadelphia and expects to leave for South America about September first.

NEW LENOX

TO HOLD ANNUAL THANK OFFERING

The annual thank offering of the foreign missionary society will be observed on Sunday, September 12 at the local Methodist church. Miss Snider of Maric Center, Chicago who spoke last year and whose interesting address was so much enjoyed will be the speaker again this year.

GARAGE BUSINESS BOOMING

Book & Houser, the local garage men report a fine patronage since they opened shop about a month ago. They have just installed a new gasoline tank which is quite an added improvement.

Miss Laura Jones with relatives motored to Starved Rock last Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Butten on Wednesday a daughter. Their home is in Chicago.

Casus Belli.

In an Irish case of a domestic riot involving much injury to person and property, a witness in the course of a vivid narrative swore as follows: "He says to me, 'Is that your father?' And I says to him, 'It is me father.' And he says, 'It is well you told me, for I thought he was an ould gorilly,' and then the fight began, me lord."—From the Argonaut.

One Proper Pride.

Pride is one of the seven deadly sins; but it cannot be the pride of a mother in her children, for this is a compound of the cardinal virtues—faith and hope.—Charles Dickens.

WOMEN'S REPUBLICAN CLUB OF WILL COUNTY ORGANIZED

Will County Republican women are getting ready to take an active part in the November election for president.

There was an enthusiastic meeting recently held at the Joliet Country Club addressed by George Barr, chairman of the County Republican Central Committee, Mrs. John T. Mason of Aurora, Mrs. Utt of DuPage County and Mrs. Gordon Sawyer at the head of the woman's Republican organization of Will County.

There was a general discussion in which meetings of townships and other centers were outlined, and a plentiful array of features was promised, including a big old fashioned "rally". A poll of precincts in which every woman would be registered was advised. Mrs. Sawyer announced members of the committee who have been appointed: Mrs. L. J. Frederick, and Mrs. Robert Adam are named as township chairmen for Joliet. Mrs. Henry Leach is chairman of speakers and meetings. Mrs. Geo. Barr is publicity chairman.

Chairmen present were: Mrs. A. N. Hilton, Florence; Mrs. Albert Maue, Mokena; Mrs. L. E. Osgood, Lockport; Mrs. Will Robbins, Manhattan; Mrs. Albert Kercheval, New Lenox; Mrs. Herman Young, Peotone; Mrs. Avery Lambert, Plainfield; Mrs. Tillie Berfield, Miss Grace Clow, Wheatland.

SPECIAL ATTENTION

Is called to the special 10 per cent discount I am offering women's and boy's shoes during the months of July and August. Take advantage of this special offer and buy your footwear now, while the price is reduced.

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